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MEMORANDUM TO: Location & Survey Personnel and Contracted L&S Consultants

FROM:

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SUBJECT:

Revision to Property Contact Database and Procedures

We have made a slight revision to the Property Owner Contact Database. There seems to be a slight problem with being able to overwrite an existing database. We have fixed this problem to where this should not be an easy occurrence. The only way to overwrite an existing database is to exit the program and physically replace the file through File Manager or Windows Explorer. There have also been a few cosmetic changes that should enhance the program. The program still works the same as the original program. This will be termed version 1.10 of the program. You will need to download the following files from the public server at CC4\\public\public\L&S\support\PropCon or through the FTP site at ftp.doh.dot.state.nc.us/public/L&S/Support/PropCon/ and replace your original files in your PropCon directory:

B2850.mdb

Example database

icon.exe

file containing PropCon icon

Master.mdb

the master database

PropCon.mdb

the propon database

PropCon (B,P,R, and S).doc

property owner contact form letters the database uses

Property Owners.doc

form labels the database uses

PROPINFO.doc

information sheet the database uses

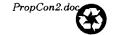
A revision to page 10 of the Readme.doc printout is included with this memo as an attachment. Please replace page 10 and retain all other directions.

I trust these new revisions will resolve the problems encountered with the database.

DEB:jdb

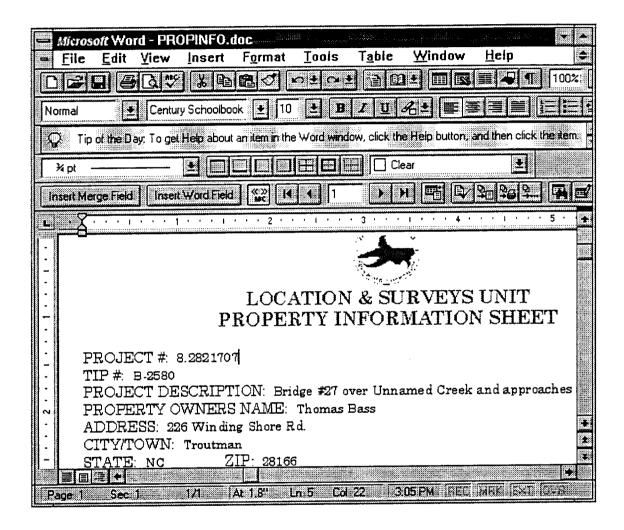
cc: R. Len Hill, PE - Highway Design Engineer Carl Goode - Citizens Participation Unit

attachment



<u>DO NOT SAVE CHANGES</u> when asked before exiting Microsoft Word. This can be saved as a Word Document. However, this will only clutter your computer hard drive with unwanted Word document files. The records can be easily updated in the database and re-printed utilizing the database program.

From the Print Forms menu Property Information Sheets can be generated and printed out by clicking on *Print Property Information Sheets* button, This will launch Microsoft Word. After the *merge* button and the *merge to printer* button are selected, information sheets can be printed.



These records are only printed and NOT stored on your hard drive.

When finished printing Property Owner Information Sheets, Close Microsoft Word.

To print Address Labels click on the *Print Address Labels* button on the *Print Forms Menu*. This will open a window called Address Labels: Report. After the *merge* button and the *merge to printer* button are selected, Address Labels can be printed on Standard Avery labels at a size of 1" x 2-5/8".

When finished printing Address Labels, Close Microsoft Word.